OFFICE OF THE HEALTHCARE ADVOCATE JOB OPPORTUNITY STAFF ATTORNEY 2

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Open To: The Public

Location: 45 Capital Avenue, Hartford, CT

Job Posting No: 113161

Hours: Full-time, 40 hour work week (M-F)

Salary: (AR 28) \$84,204 - \$107,758 (note, new hires to state service start at the minimum salary range)

Closing Date: December 21, 2015

Eligibility Requirement:

State employees currently holding the above title or those who have previously attained permanent status may apply for lateral transfer.

<u>Duties include</u>: The Staff Attorney 2 position will acts as hearing officer or represents OHA in formal administrative and public proceedings involving legal and technical issues; analyzes complex and technical evidence; negotiates and drafts settlement agreements; drafts advisory opinions, rulings, decisions, recommendations, findings, legislation, statutes, regulations, publications and other related legal documents; assists in the preparation and presentation of appeals; researches routine legal issues and assists in researching complex legal issues; conducts investigations; prepares comprehensive reports for use in administrative proceedings; interprets statutes, regulations and rulings; participates in the conduct of various educational activities; may provide legal counsel and advice when duly authorized; may testify at or monitor legislative proceedings; reviews court decisions, new and proposed laws and regulations to determine impact on agency operations; assists in the preparation and maintenance of precedent manuals; reviews legal and other related documents for legal sufficiency.

MINIMUM QUALIFICATION REQUIRED KNOWLEDGE, SKILL AND ABILITY:

Considerable knowledge of legal principles, practices and procedures in Connecticut; considerable knowledge of legal research techniques; considerable knowledge of the Uniform Administrative Procedures Act; considerable knowledge of and the ability to interpret and apply relevant state and federal laws, statutes, regulations and legislation particularly as they relate to the regulation of the insurance industry; considerable knowledge of relevant agency policies and procedures; knowledge of the rules of evidence; knowledge of criminal and constitutional law and legislative process; considerable interpresonal skills; considerable oral and written communication skills; considerable ability to apply judicial decisions to the interpretation of statues; considerable ability to comprehend, analyze and organize technical data and coordinate elements of legal cases.

EXPERIENCE AND TRAINING:

General Experience:

Two (2) years of experience in the practice of law.

Special Requirements:

- 1. Must be admitted to practice law in the State of Connecticut.
- 2. May be required to travel.

Note: The filling of this position will be in accordance with reemployment, SEBAC, transfer, promotion and merit employment rules, if applicable.

*Application Instructions: Interested and qualified candidates who meet the above requirements should submit a cover letter, a resume, law school transcript and a fully completed Application for Employment (Form CT-HR-12) which is available at: Department of Administrative Services website State Employees to submit copies of their last two (2) service ratings. Incomplete, blank or late applications will NOT be considered. We are unable to confirm receipt of applications. Please send completed application package to:

Connecticut Insurance Department Human Resources Division P.O. Box 816 Hartford, CT 06142-0816 Attn: Carmen Rivera, HR Assistant

Your application package may also be dropped off between the hours of 8:30 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. on business days at the Connecticut Insurance Department located at 153 Market Street, 7th Floor, Hartford, CT.

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The State of Connecticut is an equal opportunity/affirmative action employer and strongly encourages the applications of women, minorities, and persons with disabilities.

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